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Board of Ordnance Decides to

Make No Allowance for Bal-

loon Experiments This

Year.

Washington, March 19.-The Board of

Ordnance and Fortifications has decided

not to allot any money this year for a con-

The board called upon Professor Langley

for an account of his expenditure of the

\$25,000 appropriated some time ago. This

Professor Langley admitted that the re-

plained that the trouble was due to the

After discussing the matter very fully,

the board directed that Professor Langley be informed that it was not considered

It Is Unintended, but Pleases

Him Immensely.

New York, March 19 - Andrew Carnegie

beneficiary will not be made public for

Mr. Carnegie sailed on the St. Paul with

"No gambler," said Andrew Carnegie, in discussing the Sully failure, just before

the St. Paul left her pier, "no gambler can

It was a minute or two before Mr. Car-

ad said something good. Then he smiled

"Now," he said, "I call that pretty good,

Sully's failure, you know, and 'unsullied.'

Well, well; who would think it of me? I

assure you, it was entirely impromptu. I

did not figure it out. It just came to me

CITES EMPEROR AS EXAMPLE.

Mr. Kee Tells of Conditions and

Life in China.

Kee Owang, attorney for the Chinese Commission to the World's Fair, was the principal speaker at the dinner of the

Seif-Culture Club at the Planters Hotel

Mr. Kee's almost perfect command of

Mr. Kee's aimost perfect command of the English language and his knowledge of American customs and history were a surprise to his auditors. He discussed conditions in China, comparing manners with those of the United States, and took occasion to correct many existing beliefs which he declared without foundation.

He illustrated the chance for advancement in China by telling of the career of the Emperor, Chew Hung Yuen, who started in life a farm boy, and by hard work and attention to his humble duties rose through the ranks of the army to the throne.

Mr. Kee avowed the strongest disap-

throne. Mr. Kee avowed the strongest disapproval of the present Chinese exclusion law, and cited numerous instances to show

negie happened to think that perhaps he

has made another big donation, presum-

would enable him to secure

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definite results.

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several days.

remain unsulfied."

Thursday night.

and finally he laughed.

allotment.

FOR LANGLEY.

MISSISSIPPI MOB LYNCHES TWO MEN

Negroes Were Awaiting Trial for the Murder of One of Their Race and Assaulting a Conductor.

DEPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Memphis, Tenn., March 19.-Information teached here this afternor from Ceve-land. Miss., that at 19 o'clock last night the jall there was stormed by a masked mob, who overpowered the Sheriff and tinuance by Professor Langley of his his deputies under threats of blowing up the full with dynamite unless two prison.

The board called ween Professor Langley. ers. Payette Sawyer and Burke Harris, were delivered to them. These negroes were awaiting trial for

the murder of Sid Killium, a negro porter, and for shorting and attempting to Lill Conductor Miller, in Christmas week. an a passenger train near Hushpuckana,

The mob succeeded in getting the nearees and carrying them to the scene of their crime. They were hanged from Hush-puckama bridge, where their bodies were any fault of the aerodrome. He said that

Warrants for Illegal Voters. Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Dalton at nounced yesterday that he will issue warrants charging illegal voting, attempted illegal voting, and making a false afficient, against the men arrested Friday in connection with the trouble at the Republican primary in the Seventh Ward. Mr. Dalton stated that he desires more time to draw up the informations correctly.

SPECIALTIES.

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY TRUST COMPANY

Has a Large List of City Property for Sale. PRICE LIST ON APPLICATION.

DEATHS.

BIENERT-Thursday March 17, 1994, at a m. John M. Blekert, beloved husband of Edizabeth Blekert one Lauber), and father of John E. Albert A. and Enmin C. Blekert Fineral from late residence, No. 342 Laure avenue, Sunday March 21, at 229 p. m., 10 St. Peter's Cemetery. Priends invited to attend.

(NINNINGHAM At De Boto, Mo., Thursday, durch 17, 1964, James, beloved husband of Cinda, useringham and father of Ward Cunnit Zham, orn at Palesson, N. J., December 1, 1854, Pu-eral at D. Sorto, Sanday Afternoon, Interment a Bellefontaine Monday morning, from Union

STEPHENS—On Friday, March 18, 1994, Sarah Stephens (nee Radigan), beloved wife of Frank J. Stephens, saed J. years, Funeral will take place from residence, No. 1412 Dillon street, Monday, at \$20 a. m., to St. Vincent de Paul's (Jurch, thence to Calvary Cemetery, Blooming-ton, III., papers please copy.

STUMPF-Died suddenly Thursday, March II. Frederick W. Stumpf, beloved son of Catherine Stumpf thee Vismistin) and our dear hoother, aged 29 years I months and II days. Puneral on Sunday, March 29, at 1.39 p. m. from the family residence, No. 122 South Seventh sireet. Relatives and friends are in-Seventh street,

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FOR OTHER DEATH NOTICES, SEE PAGE 7, PART 2.

Retired Army Captain, After Careful Inquiry, Declares Conditions Are Disgraceful.

PATROLMEN

Inspectors and Sergeants Severely Criticised-Gambling Wide Open-Incompetent Men in "Soft Snaps."

Chicago, March 19.-"There is practicaly no discipline and the force could hard-

be in a worse state." With these words to-day Captain Alexander Ross Piper, U. S. A., retired, for-mer Deputy Commissioner of the New York Police Department, who has been Chicago for seven weeks investigating the Chicago police force, electrified the embers of the City Club.

He was making a report of his investi-tation, which was begun at the instance of the club as a result of the alleged un-due prevalence of crime in Chicago. According to Captain Piper's report, the Chicago police are in a disgraceful condition of demoralization and inefficiency. Instead of protecting citizens from criminals, the members of the force are drinking in saloons, playing slot machines

r gossiping on the streets. Patrolmen were accused of taking "to their holes" at every opportunity instead of walking their beats. Old and incapaci tated men were found in "soft snaps." tated men were found in "soft snaps." robbing the department of active men, sorely needed. Wide-open gambling was found by Captain Piper, handbooks running tractically all over the city.

Some of the police station houses, he said, are unfit for use and a disgrace to the city.

The administration of the criminal laws at the Harrison street police court were found to be "more like mob law than order."

order."
Captain Piper expresses sympathy for the head of the Chicago Police Depart-ment, and declares that Chief O'Neill is "an honest, overworked man, doing the best he can with the tools at his com-mand."

mand."

Police Inspectors and Sergeants come in for rough handling in the report.

A Police Commissioner, to be appointed by the Mayor and to held office for at least five years at a term, an increase of 1,000 more patrolmen and the weeding from the present force of fully 400 men, who are characterized as too old, incapacitated or bad in their habits, are Captain Piper's chief remedies.

MRS. GALLAUGHER RELEASED.

Supreme Court Gives Liberty to Women Charged With Murder. Des Moines, Ia., March 19.-By reversing Des Moines, Ia., March 18.—By reversing the lower court decision to-day the Supreme Court of Iowa releases Mrs. Ida Gallaugher, the Iowa City woman accused of murdering her husband.

Mrs. Gallaugher was tried and acquitted, her evidence tending to fasten the crime on Charles Hollada, an accomplice, who is now serving a life sentence for the crime. She was afterward tried on a charge of perjury, convicted and sentenced to twenty years imprisonment. An appeal was taken.

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His defensive works were destroyed and their abandenment ferced by the accurate fire of the battery.

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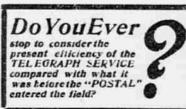
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